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SUBJECT: FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT FOR BEIRUT AND TRIPOLI

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1. USDOC REQUESTED PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO D. DECOURSIN, OSHKOSH TRUCK CORP., OSHKOSH, WISC.
2. RE YOUR CABLE OF JAN. 23 TO AMERICAN EMBASSY BEIRUT, EMBASSY RECEIVED YOUR SPECIFICATIONS JAN. 8 AND DELIVERED THEM TO SPECIAL COMMITTEE RESPONSIBLE FOR SELECTION SAME DAY. COMMITTEE HEAD, DR. ACOUTI, INFORMED EMBASSY THAT SUB-COMMITTEE FORMED TO REVIEW ALL MATERIAL SENT BY POTENTIAL SUPPLIERS AND MAKE PRELIMINARY SELECTION WEEKS OF JAN. 28. REGULAR COMMITTEE TO MAKE FINAL CHOICE BY EARLY FEB.
3. FOR USDOC: BELIEVE COMMITTEE'S SELECTION SCHEDULE TO BE OVERLY OPTIMISTIC. EMBASSY PLANS FOLLOW-UP AFTER PRELIMINARY SELECTION OF MANUFACTURERS TO DETERMINE U.S. FIRMS STILL IN-THE-RUNNING. AT THAT TIME, THOSE SELECTED WOULD BE WELL ADVISED TO SEND OR DESIGNATE A REPRESENTATIVE IN LEBANON TO CARRY OUT ANY NEGOTIATIONS WITH GOL. HOUGHTON

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